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To: Bassler, Rachel [Bassler.Rachel@epa.gov]
CC: Benning, Brad [benning.bradley@epa.gov]; Miller, Kristina [miller.kristina@epa.gov]
Subject: FW: soil sampling on Southeast side?

Hi Rachel,
See email below. Kristina is out this week and Brad will oversee sampling next week. I'm not sure if the referenced baseball field is actually on the schedule for next week or who the owner is.



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From: Ines Sommer <ines.sommer@northwestern.edu>
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Subject: soil sampling on Southeast side?

Dear Heriberto León,

I am working on a video documentary about environmental issues on the Southeast side and have already filmed with several of the environmental community groups in the area, including events with Senator Durbin.

I understand the EPA is currently collecting soil samples near the Watco facilities and heard from a friend who lives in Hegewisch that samples will be collected at the Hegewisch Babe Ruth baseball field next week.

Would it be possible for me to videotape for just a few minutes when the soil sampling takes place at Babe Ruth?

I think it would be a great visual to illustrate the EPA's efforts in assessing potential manganese exposure in the area. I also would love to interview someone from EPA about this at a later point.

Any assistance you could provide me with would be greatly appreciated -- thanks in advance!

All the best,

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